SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 245

By Green

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Emily Jean Stinnett, 2013 Salutatorian of Northeast High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Emily Stinnett is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2013 graduating class at Northeast High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Stinnett has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Emily has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, she has been an active participant in her school's clubs and organizations including the National Honor Society, Junior Classical League, Beta Club, and the softball and golf teams; and

WHEREAS, during her high school career, Emily was the recipient of numerous awards such as the President's Gold Service Award; she was named the Beaman Automotive Scholar Athlete of the Week and was part of the Governor's School for Computational Physics; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Stinnett's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, after graduation, she plans to attend the University of Pennsylvania; and WHEREAS, Emily's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Jerry and Tricia Stinnett, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Emily Stinnett's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2013 Northeast High School Salutatorian, Emily Jean Stinnett, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.